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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the action dated April 3, 2008, rejecting claims 1-3, 5-12, 14, 15, 17-27, 29, 30, 32, 64-70, and 72-78.

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